

WHITRIDGE BACK; DECLINES TO TALK ABOUT CAR STRIKE

Traction Official Says Steam
Roads' Controversy Is
Up to Public.

Frederick W. Whitridge, President of the Third Avenue Railroad, returned from Europe today on the American liner New York. He cut short his stay abroad because of labor conditions in New York and the United States.

Mr. Whitridge refused to discuss the recent street railroad strike in which his company played such a prominent part. He said he would make a statement after he had learned just what local conditions were.

"The settlement of these disputes about wages on railroads," said Mr. Whitridge, "will eventually be, if it is not now, right up to the public, for it is the public that has to pay."

"In our case we cannot raise street car fares, but a steam railroad, through the Interstate Commerce Commission, as in a position to meet traffic conditions by an increase in rates."

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IEGBOX EXPLOSION ROUTS TEN FAMILIES

Gas Leaked in Refrigerator and
Crash Follows When Bartender
Lights Match—Man Hurt.

Ten families came excitedly from their quarters in the building at No. 114 Tenth Avenue early this morning when Terrence Whitney, a bartender in a cafe on the first floor, started a miniature black box explosion that blew out the plate glass windows.

Whitney found side door traffic had exhausted the beer supply by the time he got on watch, and he went into the refrigerating box to see that a just flow was established in time for the morning demand.

A gas jet in the 1910 refrigerating box was leaking. The bartender struck a match and there was an explosion. He was thrown to the floor and his clothing took fire.

John Goggins, a passer, heard the noise and went to the rescue. He beat out the flames with his hands. Policeman Taplin came in time to aid him and Dr. Olcott took Whitney to Bellevue in a serious condition.

FOLEY'S PICNIC A CHARITY.

Proceeds Will Be Used in Stamp-
ing Out Infantile Paralysis.

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TAKEN FROM PARK, DIES IN HOSPITAL

Belief Woman Left Here to Avoid
Being a White Slave
Witness.

PHILADELPHIA, Aug. 28.—Found unconscious on a bench in Franklin square yesterday, Helen Walker, a young woman from New York, died in the Jefferson Hospital. Harry Watson and Stella Rush, who were with her, are held by the police to await a coroner's inquest.

A tour of cafes preceded the Walker woman's death, her companions said. At midnight she was seized with convulsions. They thought the best thing was to take her to Franklin square and let her rest on a bench. They had no idea her condition was so bad. When she lost consciousness they became alarmed and called a policeman.

The Walker woman had come here to escape testifying in the White Slave investigation in New York, the police believe. A superficial examination by physicians showed she had not been drugged.

Four Fishermen Drifted to Sea.
The police have been asked to find Jeremiah Price of No. 140 Seventeenth street, Brooklyn, who went fishing in a motorboat last Tuesday, which he was last seen. Price, who is a machinist, was last seen. Price, who is a machinist, was last seen.

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